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ORDINANCE NO. 12-22

BY: **KRISTIN L. SABAN**
(By Request - Service Director)

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SERVICE TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO COMMIT \$2 MILLION DOLLARS (\$2,000,000.00) OF AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT FUNDS (ARPA) FOR VARIOUS INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS IN THE CITY OF PARMA, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Governments around the world have realized that investing in and maintaining a healthy infrastructure is an important government function. It is an investment that has a multiplier effect throughout the economy, generating lasting economic, social, and environmental benefits.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARMA, STATE OF OHIO:

Section 1. That the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to enter into an Agreement with the Cuyahoga County Department of Public Works to commit \$2 Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) in ARPA funds to various infrastructure projects in the City of Parma, with a copy of said Agreement in substantially similar form attached as Exhibit ‘A’.

Section 2. That the Director of Public Service is hereby authorized to execute said Agreement and to take such action and to execute such other documents and amendments thereto as may be necessary as are approved by the Law Director.

Section 3. That it is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in compliance with all legal requirements.

Section 4. That this Ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health, safety, and welfare of the City of Parma, and for the further reason that this measure is necessary in order to receive these funds to commence important infrastructure projects within the City, and this Ordinance shall become immediately effective upon receiving the affirmative vote of two-thirds of all members elected to Council and approval of the Mayor, otherwise from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

PASSED: _____
PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL

ATTEST: _____
CLERK OF COUNCIL

APPROVED: _____

FILED WITH
THE MAYOR: _____
MAYOR, CITY OF PARMA, OHIO